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## ***City of Milwaukee Health Department Continues Measles Investigation Health Officials promote awareness, vaccinations***

The City of Milwaukee Health Department's continues its measles investigation. To date there are **no** new laboratory confirmed cases to report. However, as part of our on-going case contact investigation, the MHD would like to ask that persons who visited the Social Security Administration office or the Planned Parenthood of Wisconsin offices located at 1710 South 7<sup>th</sup> Street between the hours of 9AM and 1PM on Saturday, September 2, 2011 contact the Milwaukee Health Department or their local public health agency (if they live outside of the City). City of Milwaukee residents who visited either of these sites can call the Milwaukee Health Department at 414-286-3521 between 8-4:30PM M-Friday to speak with a public health nurse.

The key message continues to be the need to get children up-to-date with required immunizations in the coming weeks. Adults born on or after 1957 who do not know their measles vaccination status should consider vaccination at this time. In addition, persons with symptoms of fever illness and rash should seek care and diagnoses from their medical provider and self-isolate until symptoms resolve. Persons that are symptomatic should call their healthcare provider ahead of time for instructions prior to arriving at the office.

The MHD will be holding vaccination clinics this week at all of our satellite health centers to promote vaccination to further reduce the potential spread of disease within the community. Persons should call their local public health department if they have questions regarding measles vaccination, symptoms or disease. In the City of Milwaukee, residents can call 414-286-3521 between the hours of 8-4:30PM M-F or visit our website at [www.milwaukee.gov/health](http://www.milwaukee.gov/health)

### **Clinic schedule this week is as follows:**

#### Tuesday, September 13, 2011

1:00- 8:00pm at Southside Health Center (1639 S. 23<sup>rd</sup> Street)

#### Wednesday, September 14, 2011

3:00-8:00pm at Northwest Health Center (7630 W. Mill Road)

#### Friday, September 16, 2011

8:00a.m. to 11:00a.m. at Keenan Health Center (3200 N. 36<sup>th</sup> Street)

#### Saturday, September 17, 2011

10:00a.m. to 2:00pm. at both Keenan and Southside Health Center